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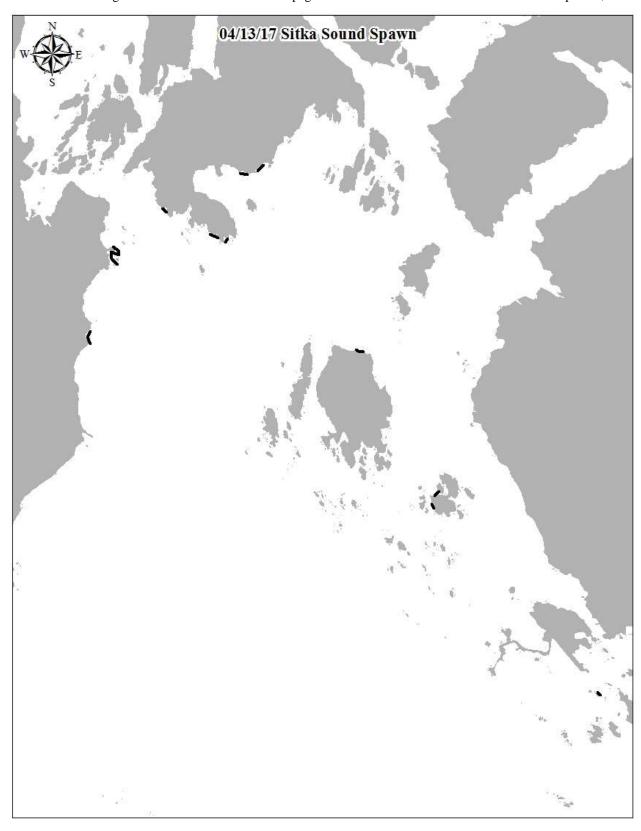
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SITKA SOUND HERRING FISHERY UPDATE 16

Today's aerial survey covered Sitka Sound north of Three Entrance Bay to Salisbury Sound. Approximately 1.5 nmi of active spawn was observed in Promisla Bay, Middle Island, Kasiana Island, in Hayward Strait near Kresta Point and Brent's Beach, and near Mountain Point. Weather during today's flight was good. The department will continue to conduct daily aerial surveys through the spawn event to map spawn mileage.



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